

Grant County LEPC Local Emergency Planning Committee

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MOSES LAKE CHAPTER

Members in Attendance:

The Moses Lake Chapter of the Grant County LEPC held their monthly meeting at the Grant County Public Utility District #2 office located on 3rd Street in Moses Lake at 11:00 am on November 12, 2009.

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Dave Moore

I. Introductions

REC Silicon

Travis Skidmore Steve Millspaugh The meeting was called to order by Sam and introductions were made.

II. Approval of Minutes

Eka Chemicals

Elias Tijerina

The minutes were reviewed and a motion was made by Chris to accept the minutes as written, the motion was seconded by Don, motion passed.

Takata

Rick Trenbeath

Western Polymer

Don Sell Luis Guerrero

Genie Industries

Chris Anderson Michele Haase

Genie Medcor

Sandy Millspaugh

III. Hazardous Materials Spills

November 3, 2009 a fire occurred in a drain collection sump in a waste treatment area and was the result of a chemical reaction between fine particles of silicon, sodium hydroxide (caustic) and water. This chemical reaction produces gas which bubbled through the water in the sump, where the gas ignited and burned. There were no injuries associated with the fire. The plants Emergency Response Team quickly contained the fire and extinguished it. TNS was activated and the neighbors were notified of the event, updated, and advised of the termination of the event.

IV. Old Business

Bylaws Update, Sandy made a motion to accept the change under Article II, Officers, the motion was seconded by CarolAnn, motion passed.

V. New Business

Simplot

Bill Gilmour

Health District Update, the focus of the Health District is for children K-3rd grade with a health risk to receive the H1N1 vaccine. Children in

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CarolAnn Swartz

the same age group without health risks are the next area of focus for the vaccine. Adults should seek information from their health care

provider for vaccine information.

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Sandi Duffey

VI. Agenda Items for December or Future

Election of Officers for 2010 calendar year REC's OSHA/L&I audit~Travis~February

Simplot Haz Mat Transmission Line~Bill~January

Next meeting: December 10, 2009 at 11:00am

Respectfully submitted,

Sandi Duffey, Grant County LEPC Secretary



Happy Thanksgiving!